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To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has

been calculated as shown below.

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No additional fee is required.

A check in the amount of \$63.00 is attached.

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) and request a three-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$475.00 to cover the applicable extension of time fees.

Applicant requests any further extensions of time that may be necessary and authorizes the required fees be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

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Respectfully submitted, FAY, SHARPE, FAGAN, MINNICH & MCKEE, LLP

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